Established Maximum Residue Limit EMRL2010-04

Sethoxydim

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Under the authority of the *Pest Control Products Act*, Health Canada's Pest Management Regulatory Agency (PMRA) has amended the registration of Poast Ultra Liquid Emulsifiable Herbicide, containing technical grade Sethoxydim, to revise the use pattern on spinach. The amended use pattern approved in Canada is detailed on the product label of Poast Ultra Liquid Emulsifiable Herbicide, *Pest Control Products Act* Registration Number 24835.

A corresponding maximum residue limit (MRL) was proposed in the consultation document published on 11 December 2009, Proposed Maximum Residue Limit PMRL2009-16, *Sethoxydim*. The PMRA received no comments in response to this consultation.

To comply with Canada's international trade obligations, consultation on the proposed MRL was also conducted internationally by notifying the World Trade Organization, as coordinated by the Standards Council of Canada. No comments were received as a result of the World Trade Organization consultation.

The following MRL takes legal effect as of the publication date of this document, replacing the 2.0 ppm MRL currently established for sethoxydim in or on spinach, to accommodate a revised use pattern.

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Common Name	Residue Definition	MRL (ppm)	Food Commodity
Sethoxydim	(±)-2-[1-(ethoxyimino)butyl]-5-[2-(ethylthio)propyl]- 3-hydroxy-2-cyclohexen-1-one, including metabolites containing the cyclohexen-2-one moiety, expressed as sethoxydim	4.0	Spinach

A complete list of all MRLs established in Canada can be found on the Maximum Residue Limits for Pesticides webpage in the Pesticides and Pest Management section of Health Canada's website.